

Kendallville, Indiana Fair collection S1988

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Summary Information

Repository	Rare Books and Manuscripts
Title	Kendallville, Indiana Fair collection
Date	1907
Extent	0.01 Cubic feet 1 folder
Language	English
Mixed materials [Folder]	S1988

Preferred Citation

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Administrative History

Kendallville had a fairground, which featured a racetrack, between 1846 and the Civil War. It is not known what activities took place there, besides a Civil War encampment. The county fair was first held in Albion, then moved to Ligonier in 1865, and in 1883, October 9-13, Kendallville held its first fair, on land owned by John Mitchell and leased to the fair until 1895, when the stockholders purchased it. Boys and girls' 4-H club work was inaugurated at the fair in 1920. The Ligonier Fair was eventually eclipsed by the Kendallville Fair, which officially became the Noble County Fair.

"History of Noble County Fair". (1986) In 150 years of Noble County. Noble County History Book Committee: Dallas, TX. (p. 9).

Misselman, Mrs. Henry G. (1952). History of Kendallville. Kendallville Public Library: Kendallville, IN. (p.66-75)

Scope and Contents

This collection includes a commercially printed advertisement from Kendallville Fair in Kendallville, Indiana ranging from 1907/09/23 to 1907/09/27 regarding attending the fair. On the verso, there is Confederate currency of \$500.00, dated February 17, 1864.

Arrangement

This collection is arranged chronologically.

Administrative Information

Publication Information

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Custodial History

This collection was received by Rare Books and Manuscripts as a donation.

Accruals

No further additions are expected.

Processing Information

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Controlled Access Headings

Geographic Name(s)

- Kendallville (Ind.)

Subject(s)

- Advertisements
- Civil war
- Currency question--Confederate States of America
- Fairs